

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the following paragraph beginning at page 23 line 16 with the following rewritten paragraph:

The above embodiments have exemplified the manual focus switch as a switching portion for switching in-focus points. However, the present invention is not limited to this, and the focusing rotating ~~ring~~ ring may be used. This is because the focusing rotating ~~ring~~ ring is an operation portion which is not used in the AF mode, and hence can be used as a point switching means.